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In re Application of:

Inventor(s) : Andrew Eric Wildman
Filed : herewith
Title : FLOATING LID ASSEMBLY FOR A STEAM KETTLE
Docket : 006593-1880

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Enclosed are the following papers:

- X Specification, Claims and Abstract, 11 page total.
- X Drawings: 6 sheets. (Informal).
- X Declaration (Executed).
- X A check in the amount of \$768.00 is enclosed, based upon the calculation below.

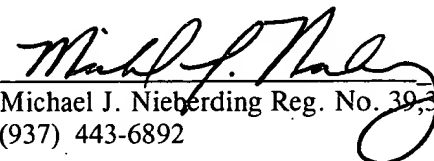
Basic Fee					\$ 690.00
Total Claims	<u>13</u> - 20 = <u>0</u>	x \$ 18.00	=	\$.00	
Independent Claims	<u>4</u> - 3 = <u>1</u>	x \$ 78.00	=	\$ 78.00	
Charge for multiple dependent claims		\$260.00	=	\$.00	
Fee for Application					\$ 768.00
Fee for Recordation of Assignment					.00
TOTAL FEES DUE					\$ 768.00

The applicant(s) authorizes the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3) to treat any paper that is filed in this application which requires an extension of time as incorporating a request for such an extension.

Applicant(s) further authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees required (including the fee for any additional extension of time) to Deposit Account No. 20-0809.

Respectfully submitted,

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